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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Applicants respectfully request a three (3)-month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed June 29, 1998, for which a response period expiring on September 29, 1998, was set. The extended period expires on December 29, 1998.

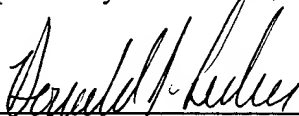
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